Selected for the Nov 5th 2021 Gary Chamberlain Online Seminar in Econometrics (2021)

Notable Paper Award, Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS) (2019)

Travel Award, Artificial Intelligence and Statistics (AISTATS) (2019)

Travel Award, Bayesian Nonparametrics Conference (2019)

Student Paper Award, ASA Section on Bayesian Statistical Science (2018)

Travel Award, International Society for Bayesian Analysis (ISBA) (2018)

Berkeley Institute for Data Science Fellow (2017–19)

Junior Travel Support Grant, International Society for Bayesian Analysis (ISBA) Bayes Comp (2016)

Spotlight Paper, Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) (2015)

Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor Award (2015)

Travel Award, Neural Information Processing Systems Workshop on Variational Inference (2014)

Hertz Foundation Graduate Fellowship Finalist (2014)

Google Operating Committee Award (2010)

Advanced-high speaker of Russian in Peace Corps Aptitude Test (2006)

Advanced-mid speaker of Kazakh in Peace Corps Aptitude Test (2006)

Selected as a Peace Corps "Success Story" for a congressional report (2005)

Best Project, Undergraduate Mechanics Research Conference (2002)

Best Presentation, Undergraduate Mechanics Research Conference (2002)

Seely, Sinclair, Stippes, TAM Merit Scholarships (1998–2002)